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## Milner and Moore on top of the World

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**American Quarter Horse**  
**at the Ambassador Hotel**  
**Friday, February 17**  
**6:30 p.m.**



Jordan Milner, 15, Southlake, TX, won the Senior Youth World Championship and made a clean sweep at the World Finals riding Dual Rey Me, owned by Jeremy and Candace Barwick.

Jordan Milner tied her Senior Youth championship up with a big bow yesterday. The high school sophomore from Southlake, TX, came to the World Finals with the title in her pocket — 251 points to second-placed Tarin Rice's 218.

Riding Dual Rey Me, the limited age event champion owned by Candace and Jeremy Barwick,

Jordan swept the three go-rounds with 224, 221.5 and 225 points, marked the high score to date in the 2005 NCHA World Finals, and claimed the show championship, as well as the World championship.

"It's awesome," said Jordan, the granddaughter of Mary Jo and Jim Milner, who are ranked first and second, respec-

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**TODAY'S SCHEDULE**  
 Beginning at 8:00 a.m.

- \$10,000 Novice - 1st round
- \$10,000 Amateur - 1st round
- \$2,000 Limit Rider - 1st round

**TUESDAY'S SCHEDULE**  
 Beginning at 8:00 a.m.

- \$2,000 Limit Rider - 1st round
- \$10,000 Novice - 2nd round
- \$10,000 Amateur - 2nd round

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**WEDNESDAY'S SCHEDULE**  
 Beginning at 8:00 a.m.

- \$2,000 Limit Rider - 2nd round
- \$10,000 Amateur - Finals
- \$2,000 Limit Rider - Finals
- \$10,000 Novice - Finals



Left to right: Ty Moore, 15, Madill, OK, won the Junior Youth World Championship riding Zack Be Quick; Tarin Rice, 17, Spearman, TX, is the Senior Youth Reserve Champion; Jake Milner, 13, Southlake, Texas, Junior Youth Reserve World Champion.

**On top of the World**

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tively, in the Non-Pro standings.

“This year I got to show, in my book, two of the best horses - Red White And Boon and Dual Rey Me. It’s a great honor to show these two horses and I feel very privileged.”

Red White And Boon carried Mary Jo Milner for four consecutive Non-Pro World Championship titles (2000 through 2003) and was one of her mounts, when she was 2004 Reserve World Champion.

Jordan set her course early last year, after placing as Junior Youth Reserve Champion in 2004.

“Last year, when I was Reserve, Jeremy (Barwick) told me that we were going to win the World next year,” said Jordan. “So we accomplished that. It’s really exciting.”


In addition to winning last year’s NCHA Non-Pro Classic/Challenge and placing as reserve in the Open Classic/Challenge, Dual Rey Me was (2004) \$10,000 and \$3,000 Novice Reserve World Champion.

Cutting is a family affair for Jordan, whose brother Jake, 13, finished the year as Junior Youth Reserve World Champion. Their father, Joey, is currently ranked 14th among the Non-Pro leaders, and mother, Laurie, keeps the family on course and drives them to the cuttings.

“We went every weekend,” noted

Jordan, who missed just one show, when she stayed home to attend the prom. “But we hardly missed any school.”

Winning the championship in the same year that her grandparents are

  
**“The less of routine,  
the more of life.”**  
*Amos Bronson Alcott*



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Left to right: Blaze Cogdell, Tulia, TX, was Junior Youth Show Champion on Shania Cee with go-round scores of 223, 220.5 and 218, and placed fourth in World standings; Casey Rice, Sealy, TX, is the 2005 Senior Youth Rookie of the Year; Tasha Burgess, Perrin, TX, claimed the title of Junior Youth Rookie of the Year and finished eighth in the World standings.

ranked first and second has special meaning for Jordan. “My grandparents are always there for me and Grandma let me show Red White And Boon with no hesitation.

“I listen to her a lot,” she added. “We both have a lot of the same mind set. We’re both very competitive and like to do everything right. So whenever she tells me something, I take it to heart.”

Tarin Rice, 17, of Spearman, TX, kept Jordan on her toes throughout the year. Traveling with his father, trainer Boyd Rice, who leads the Open World on Bobs Hickory Rio, and his cousin, Casey Rice, who wound up as Senior Youth Rookie of the Year, Tarin traded the lead with Jordan during the summer and into the fall.

He finished the World Finals, under Mighty Joe Merada, with a solid lock (231 points) on the Reserve title. Tarin’s main mount last year was his 15-year-

old gelding Montanas Musical Sox.

### Junior Youth Championships

When he arrived in Amarillo, Ty Moore couldn’t be beat for the Junior Youth World Championship. But that didn’t keep the middle school freshman from Madill, OK, and former Junior Youth Rookie of the Year, from finishing with a flourish.

Yesterday, Ty scored 222 points to win the final Junior Youth round. Blaze Cogdell, Tulia, TX, aboard former NCHA Futurity champion Shania Cee, was the show winner with go-rounds of 223, 220.5 and 218.; Ty finished second with 218, 215.5 and yesterday’s 222.

“I really don’t get nervous,” said Ty. “I don’t get too worried about anything. You’re not going to win every time. You’re going to have some downfalls. Just keep on trying .”

Ty had wanted to haul for the World

and when he found himself among the leaders at the beginning of 2005, he decided the timing was right.

“This is my last year in the Junior Youth and I had a good horse,” he pointed out.

Ty’s main mount last year, as well as at the World Finals was eight-year-old Zack Be Quick, by Zack T Wood.

“She’s real bright on a cow and she’s strong,” said Ty, who has also been competitive this year in limited age events on Nurse Hen and Strong And Stylish.

Ty was introduced to cutting through family friend Bradley Rogers, and his aunt, Kathleen Moore. Now he spends most of his waking hours, when he’s not in school, riding horses.

“It was long, but it was fun,” said Ty of his year hauling.

Jake Milner, 13, an eighth grader from Southlake, TX, earned the Junior Youth Reserve Championship title with 209 points. Although he rode his grandmother’s gelding Red White And Boon several times, his main mount was Boonsmart. The nine-year-old red roan gelding was a Christmas gift from Mary Jo Milner, who had ridden him during her 2004 Non-Pro World campaign.

“He’s pretty good,” said Jake of his gelding. “He doesn’t do what he’s not supposed to do.”

Jake also noted that one of Boonsmart’s best features is the fact that he’s short.



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### Special Events during the World Finals

- Participant Appreciation Dinner sponsored by Coors - 6:30 p.m., Wednesday, February 15, Rex Baxter Building. Please pick up tickets at the show office.
- AQHA Welcome Reception - 6:30 p.m., Sunday, February 17, Ambassador Hotel

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